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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently amended) A method comprising:

providing a first portion and a second portion of a fruit juice that is substantially free of insoluble fruit solids,

treating [[a]] the first portion of the fruit juice to preferentially separate the relatively lower molecular weight sugars and acids from the relatively higher molecular weight phytochemical compounds whereby a relatively lower molecular weight sugars and acids-rich juice fraction and a relatively higher molecular weight phytochemical-rich juice fraction are produced, and

combining the relatively higher molecular weight phytochemical-rich juice fraction with [[a]] the second portion of the fruit juice to create a phytochemical-rich fruit juice.

- 2. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1, further comprising providing a third portion of the fruit juice that is substantially free of insoluble fruit solids and combining the relatively lower molecular weight sugars and acids-rich juice fraction with [[a]] the third portion of the fruit juice to create a sugars and acids-rich fruit juice.
- 3. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising concentrating the phytochemical-rich fruit juice by removing a portion of the water therein.
- 4. (Original) The method of claim 2, further comprising concentrating the sugars and acids-rich fruit juice by removing a portion of the water therein.
 - 5. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein the fruit juice is cranberry juice.

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6. (Original) A sugars and acids-rich fruit juice prepared by the method of claim 2.

- 7. (Original) A phytochemical-rich fruit juice prepared by the method of claim 1.
- 8. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein the step of treating a first portion of the fruit juice comprises ultrafiltration.
 - 9. (Currently amended) A method comprising:

providing a <u>first portion and a second portion of a</u> fruit juice that is substantially free of insoluble fruit solids,

treating [[a]] the first portion of the fruit juice to preferentially separate the relatively lower molecular weight sugars and acids from the relatively higher molecular weight phytochemical compounds whereby a relatively lower molecular weight sugars and acids-rich juice fraction and a relatively higher molecular weight phytochemical-rich juice fraction are produced, and

combining the relatively lower molecular weight sugars and acids-rich fruit juice fraction with [[a]] the second portion of the fruit juice to create a sugars and acids-rich fruit juice.

- 10. (Currently amended) The method of claim 9, further comprising providing a third portion of the fruit juice that is substantially free of insoluble fruit solids and combining the relatively higher molecular weight phytochemical-rich juice fraction with [[a]] the third portion of the fruit juice to create a phytochemical-rich fruit juice.
- 11. (Original) The method of claim 10, further comprising concentrating the phytochemical-rich fruit juice by removing a portion of the water therein.

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12. (Original) The method of claim 9, further comprising concentrating the sugars and acids-rich fruit juice by removing a portion of the water therein.

- 13. (Original) The method of claim 9 wherein the fruit juice is cranberry juice.
- 14. (Original) A sugars and acids-rich fruit juice prepared by the method of claim 9.
- 15. (Original) A phytochemical-rich fruit juice prepared the by method of claim 10.
- 16. (Original) The method of claim 9 wherein the step of treating a first portion of the fruit juice comprises ultrafiltration.
- 17. (Original) A blended juice product comprising the sugars and acids-rich fruit juice of claim 6 or claim 14.
- 18. (Original) A blended juice product comprising the phytochemical-rich fruit juice of claim 7 or claim 15.

19–22. (Canceled)

- 23. (Original) A sugars and acids-rich fruit juice powder prepared by drying the sugars and acids-rich fruit juice of claim 6 or claim 14.
- 24. (Original) A phytochemical-rich fruit juice powder prepared by drying the phytochemical-rich fruit juice of claim 7 or 15.

25-28. (Canceled)

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29. (Original) A dietary supplement comprising the phytochemical-rich fruit juice powder of claim 24.

- 30. (Original) A tablet comprising the dietary supplement of claim 29.
- 31. (Currently amended) A method comprising:

providing a <u>first portion and a second portion of a</u> vegetable juice that is substantially free of insoluble vegetable solids,

treating [[a]] the first portion of the vegetable juice to preferentially separate the relatively lower molecular weight sugars and acids from the relatively higher molecular weight phytochemical compounds whereby a relatively lower molecular weight sugars and acids-rich juice fraction and a relatively higher molecular weight phytochemical-rich juice fraction are produced, and

combining the relatively higher molecular weight phytochemical-rich juice fraction with [[a]] the second portion of the vegetable juice to create a phytochemical-rich vegetable juice.

- 32. (Currently amended) The method of claim 31, further comprising providing a third portion of the fruit juice that is substantially free of insoluble fruit solids and combining the relatively lower molecular weight sugars and acids-rich juice fraction with [[a]] the third portion of the vegetable juice to create a sugars and acids-rich vegetable juice.
- 33. (Original) The method of claim 31, further comprising concentrating the phytochemical-rich vegetable juice by removing a portion of the water therein.
- 34. (Original) The method of claim 32, further comprising concentrating the sugars and acids-rich vegetable juice by removing a portion of the water therein.
 - 35. (Original) The method of claim 31 wherein the vegetable juice is carrot juice.

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36. (Original) A sugars and acids-rich vegetable juice prepared by the method of claim 32.

- 37. (Original) A phytochemical-rich vegetable juice prepared by the method of claim 31.
- 38. (Original) The method of claim 31 wherein the step of treating a first portion of the vegetable juice comprises ultrafiltration.
 - 39. (Currently amended) A method comprising:

providing a <u>first portion and a second portion of a</u> vegetable juice that is substantially free of insoluble vegetable solids,

treating [[a]] the first portion of the vegetable juice to preferentially separate the relatively lower molecular weight sugars and acids from the relatively higher molecular weight phytochemical compounds whereby a relatively lower molecular weight sugars and acids-rich juice fraction and a relatively higher molecular weight phytochemical-rich juice fraction are produced, and

combining the relatively lower molecular weight sugars and acids-rich vegetable juice fraction with [[a]] the second portion of the vegetable juice to create a sugars and acids-rich vegetable juice.

- 40. (Currently amended) The method of claim 39, further comprising providing a third portion of the fruit juice that is substantially free of insoluble fruit solids and combining the relatively higher molecular weight phytochemical-rich juice fraction with [[a]] the third portion of the vegetable juice to create a phytochemical-rich vegetable juice.
- 41. (Original) The method of claim 40, further comprising concentrating the phytochemical-rich vegetable juice by removing a portion of the water therein.

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42. (Original) The method of claim 39, further comprising concentrating the sugars and acids-rich vegetable juice by removing a portion of the water therein.

- 43. (Original) The method of claim 39 wherein the vegetable juice is carrot juice.
- 44. (Original) A sugars and acids-rich vegetable juice prepared by the method of claim 39.
 - 45. (Original) A phytochemical-rich vegetable juice prepared the by method of claim 40.
- 46. (Original) The method of claim 39 wherein the step of treating a first portion of the vegetable juice comprises ultrafiltration.
- 47. (Original) A blended juice product comprising the sugars and acids-rich vegetable juice of claim 36 or claim 44.
- 48. (Original) A blended juice product comprising the phytochemical-rich vegetable juice of claim 37 or claim 45.
- 49. (Withdrawn) An oral hygiene product comprising the phytochemical-rich vegetable juice of claim 37 or 45.
- 50. (Withdrawn) The oral hygiene product of claim 49 wherein the product is an oral rinse.
 - 51. (Withdrawn) The oral hygiene product of claim 49 wherein the product is a dentifrice.

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52. (Withdrawn) The oral hygiene product of claim 49 wherein the product is a chewing gum.

- 53. (Original) A sugars and acids-rich vegetable juice powder prepared by drying the sugars and acids-rich vegetable juice of claim 36 or claim 44.
- 54. (Original) A phytochemical-rich vegetable juice powder prepared by drying the phytochemical-rich vegetable juice of claim 37 or 45.
- 55. (Withdrawn) A topical antiseptic comprising the phytochemical-rich vegetable juice of claim 37 or 45.
- 56. (Withdrawn) A wound dressing impregnated with the phytochemical-rich vegetable juice of claim 37 or 45.
- 57. (Withdrawn) A topical antiseptic comprising the phytochemical-rich vegetable juice powder of claim 54.
- 58. (Withdrawn) A wound dressing impregnated with the phytochemical-rich vegetable juice powder of claim 54.
- 59. (Original) A dietary supplement comprising the phytochemical-rich vegetable juice powder of claim 54.
 - 60. (Original) A tablet comprising the dietary supplement of claim 59.

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61. (New) A method comprising:

- (a) providing a flow of fruit juice that is substantially free of insoluble fruit solids;
- (b) dividing the flow of fruit juice into at least a first juice stream, a second juice stream and a third juice stream;
- (c) treating the first juice stream to preferentially separate the relatively lower molecular weight sugars and acids from the relatively higher molecular weight phytochemical compounds whereby a relatively lower molecular weight sugars and acids-rich juice stream and a relatively higher molecular weight phytochemical-rich juice stream are produced;
- (d) combining the sugars and acids-rich juice stream with the second juice stream to create a sugars and acids-rich fruit juice; and
- (e) combining the phytochemical-rich juice stream with the third juice stream create a phytochemical-rich fruit juice.
- 62. (New) The method of claim 61 wherein a ratio divert mechanism is used to divide the flow of fruit juice into at least a first juice stream, a second juice stream and a third juice stream.
 - 63. (New) A method comprising:
- (a) providing a flow of vegetable juice that is substantially free of insoluble fruit solids;
- (b) dividing the flow of vegetable juice into at least a first juice stream, a second juice stream and a third juice stream;
- (c) treating the first juice stream to preferentially separate the relatively lower molecular weight sugars and acids from the relatively higher molecular weight phytochemical compounds whereby a relatively lower molecular weight sugars and acids-rich juice stream and a relatively higher molecular weight phytochemical-rich juice stream are produced;

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(d) combining the sugars and acids-rich juice stream with the second juice stream to create a sugars and acids-rich vegetable juice; and

- (e) combining the phytochemical-rich juice stream with the third juice stream create a phytochemical-rich vegetable juice.
- 64. (New) The method of claim 63 wherein a ratio divert mechanism is used to divide the flow of vegetable juice into at least a first juice stream, a second juice stream and a third juice stream.